The Free Lance

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1911.

THE WOOLEN MILLS We are indirectly informed that it might be possible to secure the return to this city of the former Woolen Mill Company, whose plant was destroyed by fire last year, provided the city of Fredericksburg or her business men should be willing to make some arrangement on the order of that made with the Shirt Company now in operation here. We have no plan to suggest, but we do suggest that the Public Interest Committee of the Council and the Manufacturing Committee of the Buckness Men's Association take this matter up with Messrs. Melville and Duvall and see if some arrangement cannot be consummated for rebuilding of the Woolen Mills. This city needs manufacturing plants and needs them badly and we can't afford to neglect any opportunity to locate one here. The rebuilding and consequent re-operation of the Woolen Mills would be a God send to our laboring people and merchants and consequently the matter demands our serious and prompt attention. Don't overlook it gentlemen of the council and association.

"God alone can save the south from decadence should it ever forget, in the mad pursuit of gold, its love and vene-ration for Robert F. Lee."

The above were the closing words of Hon. Geo. R. Wendling in his celebrated lecture on Lee, given in Richmond a few days ago. No Southern man who reads this solemn prophecy can but realize the truth contained therein and God forbid that the day should ever come when the Southern people, either through commercialism or carelessness shall forget its love for Lee and his soidiers or the debt of gratitude we owe them. When that time comes, if it ever does, the South will have ceased to exist.

The Norfolk-Virginia-Pilot didn't relish our statement that the big steel companies would be welcomed to Virginia, comparing our willingness to have them come to the willingness of some Democrats to accept protection. The cases are not parallel. We have been consistent in our opposition to high tariff and free in our disapproval of those Democrats who voted for it, but we are not disposed to close our doors and surround ourselves with a Chinese wall against the location of a great manufacturing company simply because some people choose to consider it a trust. Besides in this particular cases it has never been shown that the steel com-

The Richmond Virginian and several other papers want to know what particular good, so far as Virginia and the South is concerned, has been accomplished by increasing the memership of the House of Representatives? In view of the fact that the membership is greatly enlarged by the Crumpacker bill and the North secures by far the greater number of additional members the question is a pertinent one and hard to

We thought calves were bringing record prices a year or so ago, when President Advocates Total Abstinence some of those at Lewisanna Farm in Caroline sold as high as \$2,500, but Taft, in a letter dated Dec. 29, 1910, all records have been eclipsed by and read in 3000 Sund the sale of a calf at Brockton, Mas- the United States yeste day, sounded sachusetts, for \$10,000, the highest the keynote of a total abstainers price on record ever paid for a calf. movement, Senator Lodge has delivered an-The animal was a Holstein

other scholary address in the Senate. Ilquor is the cause of a great deal of

It would really be refreshing to straint to avoid altogether the temp-

have Ben Tillman back in his seat.

SENTENCED TO TOMBS Legion, which instigated the services throughout the United States. The

WOMAN SMUGGLER

As an example to women who have no qualms against smuggling, Judge to Martin, in U. S. District Court, New York, sentenced Mrs. Roberta G. Hill to the Tombs from Friday night to Monday morning, and fined her \$2,000. tal abstinence department of the Anti-Saloon League, with national eadquarters at Westerville.

Monday morning, and fined her \$2,000. The fine was promptly paid, and Mrs. Hill was led away sobbing hysterically. Counsel for Mrs. Hill made a strong plea for the court's mercy, but Judge Martin said he felt that a jail sentence

was necessary as a lesson.

"I regret to say," he added, "that women are much more prone to attempt smuggling than are men."

Mrs. Hill had pleaded guilty to smuggling into this country to avoid paying tariff duty a sable coat and other goods valued at \$8,000. Her mother cat near her and sobbed bitterly when sentence was pronounced.

STAUNTON GETTING BUSY

A committee of the newly organized Chamber of Commerce of Staunton went before the Common Council Tuesday night and requested \$1,000 to be added to a fundraised by the chamber by subscriptions to be used by the chamber in advertising the advantages of Staunton to the world. The Council unantom to the world the request and made the appropriation.

HOKE SMITH. Declares There is

Conspiracy to

ARCHBISHOP RYAN.

Prelate Who Died

SECRETARY WILSON.

of Agriculture Favors

Canadian Reciprocity.

Head of Department

In Philadelphia.

Noted Catholic

Ruin Cotton Crop.

"THE BUSY CORNER"

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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50c CHANGEABLE PONGEE SILK

A Yd. 29c

This Pongee is 24 inches wide and you have no idea how dainty and fetching it is when made up into dresses or shirt waists. You can make the most attractive shirt waists of it for wear with tailored suits or use it for evening dress or street dresses, for wear now or in summer.

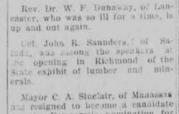
Think also of the little price you are asked for this pretty Silk, only 29e a yard.

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RED	APRICOT
MYRTLE	NAVY
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SEND FOR SAMPLES

VIRGINIA NEW

Robt. D. Browning, of Oceange, has been granted a patent for an count cabinet.



or the Democratic nomination for riome of Delegates from Prince William county. There are several Jore H. Whoelwright, who these in president of the Consolidated Coal Company of West Virginia to succeed C. W. Watso: ejected U. S. Senator, is a native of Westmoreland county, a sen of

he late Dr. Wheelwright, of tha Several prominent members of one of the Northern Neck gan clubs have been indicted in Westmoreland county for shooting wild ducks af-ter the hour in the day prescribed the offense having the Rappahannock river marshes

Chris Gebhardt, president of the Caris Germant, picket or Club was fined \$300 in Richmond for operating a gambling joint. He look an appeal. When the Literary Club was raided there were some club was raided there were some wenty persons engaged in playing poker and the sole book or paper was a wellworn five cent wild Indian novel.

Testing of cattle for tuberculosi as been resumed, under the direc-tion of the State Dairy and Food Department. A herd has been test-ed at Culpeper, and although Com-missioner Saunders has not received the report, he was told at the de-partment in Washington, whose of icers administered the tests that

here was not a single reaction other scholary address in the Senate. Perhaps the Senator's speeches would have more effect if they were a little less scholarly.

Up to this this time we had supposed Elihu Root too large a man to inject the race issue into debate. He has shown that he isn't presidential calibre.

In the cause of a freet deal of the poverty, degradation and crime of the world, and one who abstains from the use of such things avoids a dangerous temptation. Abraham Lincoln showed that he believed in this in writing out for his boy friends the pledge of total abstinence, so often dipleted in this in the pledge of total abstinence, so often the course he will take in reference to his tastes and appetites, but those who exercise the self-results and contents. The man sent his family to Louisa several days ago and a short while before the fire was discovered he was seen to board the train for Louisa. The house was not wholly destroyed. He was taken back to Rockingham to stand trial.

Judge George J. Hundley, of the Buckingham Circuit court, sent to Gov. Mann a copy of the order entered by him in his court in the famous Bucking ham murder cases recently decided on appeal by the Supreme court in which the appelate court criticised Judge Hundley. Sharply Judge Hundley decideres that the action of the court in ordering a change of Venue is lacking in the courtesy and comity which one court should expect of another and asked the governor to designate some other Judge to hold the special term of the court to enter the usual orders. The Governor complied with the request. The arraingnments of the Supreme court by Judge Hundley is quite sharp. tation of alcoholic liquor are on the movement will be directed as the to-

neeting decided to petition the sharp, bond issue of \$600,000 for good roads.

The meeting was addressed by St.
Julien Wilson, State Highway Com-

ASK VOTE ON ROAD BONDS

Dr. Howard H. Russell, of Wester-

ville, Ohio, founder of the Anti-Saloon

TAFT AGAINST LIQUOR

In Letter to Sunday Schools.

The letter is addressed to Sunday

"The excessive use of intoxicating

Columbus, O., Feb.

ssioner and others.

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SHOES

During This Op-

R. R. MEETINGS IN NORTHERN NECK

C. M. Ward will be at the following places on dates named to confer as to proposed railroad through Northern

Neck.
Lottsburg, Feb. 14th, 11:30 a. m.
Callao, Tuesday, 14th, 2:30 p. m.
Kinsale, Tnesday, 14th, 7:30 p. m.
Hague, Wednesday, 15th, 2:30 p. m.
Neenah, Thursday, 16th, 11:30 a. m.
Nomini Grove, Thursday, 16th 2:30

*6:30 p.m. local.
*7:01 p.m.express.
*9:46 p.m. express.
*11:11 p.m.express.
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*12:45 p.m.; from Milford 2:26 p.m.; from Richmond †4:00 p.m. Templeman X. Roads, Thursday 7:30

m. Montross, Friday, 17th, 11 a. m. Farmers Fork, Friday, 17th, 3 p. m. Havelock, Friday, 17th, 7:30 p. m. Newland, Saturday, 18th, 11:30 a. m.

Southward *5:50 a.m. express

*6:32 a.m. local.
*7:05 a.m. express.
*11:32 a.m. express.
*10:29 a.m. local.
*12:35 p.m. local.
*12:35 p.m. local.
*1:17 p.m. express.
*6:30 p.m. local.
*7:06 p.m. local.
*7:06 p.m. local.
*7:09 p.m. express.
*10:09 p.m. express.
*11:11 p.m. express.

I desire to inform my friends and the public that I have purchased the law library of the late Judge Mason, and have entered into the general practice of the law, with office at 26 Law Building, Fredericksburg, Va.

Respectfully,
Walter L. Burruss, Jr. *Daily. †Weekdays. †This train does not go south of Milford.

Arrivals and departures not guaran-

LOCAL MARKETS.

made the appropriation.

The city of Stauuton will reduce the tax rate from \$1.35 per \$1.00 to \$1.25, estimating that the city's received well as the city's \$8,000.

Wm. Riley Mason, of Irvington, died Thursday, aged 74. His widow, four sons and two daughters.

The funeral of Mrs. J. J. Thompson, who died at her home at Lagrange, was held at Culpeper Saturday. Interment in Fairyiew Cemolery, Mrs. Thompson, was 69 years old and its survived by her husband and three sons.

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Shelled corn is fully equal in quality to that on the ear and tip, butt and ir-regular kernels removed in order to in-sure accurate dropping. 35 per cent germination guaranteed. C. U. Gravatt, Right now we are giving you an opportunity to buy SHOES, GOOD SHOES, the BEST of SHOES, at prices so low that you'll feel it your duty to buy. Prices so magnetic that they will pull you in this direction.

This is not a "Job Lot Sale", but a sale of Clean, Fresh, Stylish SHOES for Men, Women and Children. To the Stockholders of the Caroline County Telephone Company: The annual meeting of the stockhold-

MISSES' SHOES the 8th, March, 1877, 18 Owing to protracted illness I am unable to properly care for my poultry plant. I therefore offer the greater part of my two year old S. C. W. Leghorn and White Wyandotte thens and a few cockerels for sale at \$1 each. These are in prime condition and just suited for best results for early spring eggs for hatching.

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75c. Lace Curtains, 3 yds. x 30 in.

12 " " 15c. " " " " 12 " " 20c. " " " "

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50c, 36 " Very Sheer

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150 Doz. 12%c. Huck Towels, 18x36.

10 " 25c. " " 18x36.

100 yds. Cream 4-4 Linen (20c. quality). 15c

25c. Black and Tan Hose (light weight) 20c

25c. Solid Colored Linen . . .

. 45c Yard-Wide Brown Cotton

59c, 45 in. Pillow Linen.....

50c. 45 in. Shirt Waist Linen

Best grade 72x90 Sheets.

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Swiss, Hamburg and Nainsook Galloons, Flouncing. Allovers, Insertings and Edges, and

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12%c. " Dimity Checks

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" 20c.

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Feb. 8, 1911.

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A. F. Turner, port Royal, Va.

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Respectfully, Walter L. Burruss, Jr.

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